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Dear Sir:

The following is submitted in response to the Office Action of May 26, 2006.

- 1. Amendments to the claims are presented beginning on p. 2.
- 2. Remarks related to the patentability of the claims begin on p. 3 herein.